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FM AMEMBASSY MBABANE

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 4922

AMEMBASSY GABORONE

INFO AMEMBASSY CAPE TOWN

AMCONSUL JOHANNESBURG

AMEMBASSY MASERU

AMEMBASSY PRETORIA

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E. O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PINS, WZ

SUBJECT: EXPULSION FRED ROACH

REFS: A) GABORONE 0708 (NOTAL); B) MBABANE 0884

1. SWAZILAND BROADCASTING NEWSCAST EVENING MAY 9 CARRIED ITEM THAT FRED J. ROACH HAD BEEN DECLARED PROHIBITED INHABITANT AND PROHIBITED VISITOR TO SWAZILAND UNDER PROHIBITED IMMIGRANT LEGISLATION OF 1964. NEWSCAST CONTINUED THAT ACTION TAKEN BY DEPUTY PRIME MINISTER ON " INFORMATION RECEIVED FROM A GOOD SOURCE."

2. THERE MUCH SPECULATION BUT FEW FACTS KNOWN AS TO REASON P. I. ACTION ON ROACH. FROM SIFING SPECULATION, IT APPEARS TO EMBASSY COMBINATION OF FACTORS INFLUENCED DECISION:

A. ROACH REPUTATION APPEARED LIKELY BECOME SOURCE OF EMBARRASSMENT TO SWAZIS IN LIGHT HIS PRESENCE DURING LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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ROYAL ASSUMPTION PERSONAL POWER. THIS PRESUMES HIS  
ARRIVAL SWAZILAND COINCIDENTAL AND GENUINELY FOR PURPOSE  
OF MANAGING BREWERY. THIS IS THESIS MOST SWAZIS  
ADVANCE WITH EMBASSY OFFICERS.

B. ROACH DISPLACED FORMER ASSISTANT POLICE  
COMMISSIONER JOHN OLIVER AS MANAGER HIGHLAND BREWERY.  
OLIVER TOOK EARLY RETIREMENT MARCH FROM HEAD POLICE  
TRAINING COLLEGE TO ACCEPT EMPLOYMENT WITH BREWERY.  
LUYTS REPORTEDLY WITHDREW OFFER IN FAVOR ROACH. OLIVER,  
LONG- TIME RESIDENT OF SWAZILAND, HAS FRIENDS IN HIGH PLACES  
AND USED INFLUENCE TO HAVE ROACH MADE P. I.

3. HIGHLAND BREWERY CONTINUING DISTRIBUTE STOCKS BUT  
BREWING OPERATIONS SUSPENDED. DELEGATION FROM SWAZILAND  
REPORTEDLY IN S. A. ATTEMPTING PERSUADE LUYTS TO RECONSIDER  
CLOSING BREWERY.  
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